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AND TREATMENT OF CANCER  
USING ANTI-C3b(i) ANTIBODIES (as  
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Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

SIR:

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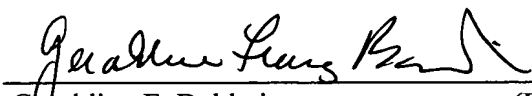
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Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner review the foregoing references and that the references be made of record in the file history of the application.

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